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There is a typo in the Response to Rule 312 Communication mailed on 06/28/2006.

Attached herewith please find a corrected "Response to Rule 312 Communication" for your information and use.
The amendment filed on 06/20/2006 under 37 CFR 10312 has been considered, and has been entered.

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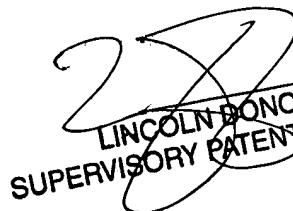
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1. The amendment filed on 20 June 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

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